

RESOLUTION NUMBER 81

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson is a thirty year member of the Prince Hall Masonic Family and has excelled in every area of the Masonic Order which would include, the Order of Eastern Star member to District Deputy Grand Worthy Matron ; and

WHEREAS, in 1989 the Harmony Grand Chapter chartered the Dr. Ardella G. Johnson, Chapter #120; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson served as the first Most Ancient Matron of Rose H. Sanders in the Heroines of Jericho; and

WHEREAS, In the Order of Cyrene she excelled from Past Commandress of Queen Sarah Court#35 to become the Most Royal Grand Commandress and currently as spiritual leader for the Missouri Jurisdiction and also a member of Key Court #1 - Order of Cyrene and she continues to be faithful to the Golden Circle; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson currently serves as the Directress of the Coalition of Ministers for the Imperial Court-Daughters of Isis; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson is a member of Union Memorial United Methodist Church and a dedicated member of their Ministerial Staff. She serves as chairperson of Union Memorial Evangelism, and also as Spiritual Leader for the United Methodist Women; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson is continuing her education to obtain a Masters in Counseling and a Doctorate in Theology; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson serves as a pillar of light to those who encounter her presence. Proverbs 31:10 states, **“WHO WILL FIND A VIRTUOUS WOMAN? FOR HER PRICE IS FAR ABOVE RUBIES.”**

WHEREAS, Dr. Johnson will forever be the proud, caring loving Mother, Grandmother, Great-Grandmother, Sister and matriarch of her family.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of the City of St. Louis that we pause in our deliberations to congratulate Rev. Dr. Ardella G. Johnson for her many accomplishments and we wish her many more years of happiness, good health and peace and we further direct the Clerk of this Board to spread a copy of this Resolution across the minutes of these proceedings and to prepare a commemorative copy for presentation to our honoree at a time and place deemed appropriate by the Sponsor.

Introduced this the 22nd day of June, 2007 by:
Honorable Charles Quincy Troupe, 1st Ward

Adopted this the 22nd day of June, 2007 as attested by: